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TO:

THE COMMISSION

FROM: Utilities Division

DATE: October 8, 2003

RE:

VERIZON CALIFORNIA, INC. - TARIFF FILING TO REPLACE CONCURRENCE

LANGUAGE WITH ITS OWN TARIFF (DOCKET NO. T-01846B-03-0710)

On September 26, 2003, Verizon California, Inc. ("Verizon") filed tariff revisions to replace tariff language that concurs in Qwest Corporation's tariff for MTS, WATS and the Arizona Universal Service Fund with its own tariff.

In the cover letter attached to the proposed tariff changes, Verizon indicated that it would provide Staff with confidential information that supports the filing under a protective agreement. No protective agreement has been executed.

Therefore, Staff recommends that the filing be suspended for a period of ninety days.

Ernest G. Johnson

Director

Utilities Division

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1	BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION				
2	MARC SPITZER Chairman WILLIAM A. MUNDELL				
4	Commissioner JEFF HATCH-MILLER				
5	Commissioner MIKE GLEASON				
6	Commissioner KRISTIN K. MAYES				
7	Commissioner				
8	IN THE MATTER OF VERIZON) DOCKET NO. T-01846B-03-0710				
9	CALIFORNIA, INC. – TARIFF FILING TO REPLACE CONCURRENCE LANGUAGE DECISION NO				
10	WITH ITS OWN TARIFF ORDER				
11	Open Meeting October 21 and 22, 2003				
12	Phoenix, Arizona				
13	BY THE COMMISSION:				
14	FINDINGS OF FACT				
15	1. On September 26, 2003, Verizon California, Inc. ("Verizon") filed tariff revisions to				
16	replace tariff language that concurs in Qwest Corporation's tariff for MTS, WATS and the Arizona				
17	Universal Service Fund with its own tariff.				
18	2. In the cover letter attached to the proposed tariff changes, Verizon indicated that it would				
19	provide Staff with confidential information that supports the filing under a protective agreement. No				
20	protective agreement has been executed.				
21	3. Staff has recommended that the filing be suspended for a period of ninety days.				
22	CONCLUSIONS OF LAW				
23	1. Verizon is a public service corporation within the meaning of Article XV, Section 2, of				
24	the Arizona Constitution.				
25	2. The Commission has jurisdiction over Verizon and the subject matter of the request.				
26	3. The Commission, having reviewed the filing and Staff's Memorandum dated October 9,				
27	2003, concludes that it is in the public interest to suspend the filing for a period of ninety (90) days.				
	Decision No.				

Decision No.

1	<u>ORDER</u>						
2	THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that this filing be and is hereby suspended until and including						
3	January 23, 2004.						
4	IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Decision shall become effective immediately.						
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6	BY THE ORDER OF THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION						
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8	CHAIRMAN	COMMISSIONER	COMMISSIONER				
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12		IN WITNESS WHEREOF,	I BRIAN C. McNEIL, Executive				
13		Secretary of the Arizona	Corporation Commission, have caused the official seal of this				
14		Commission to be affixed	at the Capitol, in the City of				
15		Phoenix, thisday of	, 2003.				
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19		BRIAN C. McNEIL Executive Secretary					
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